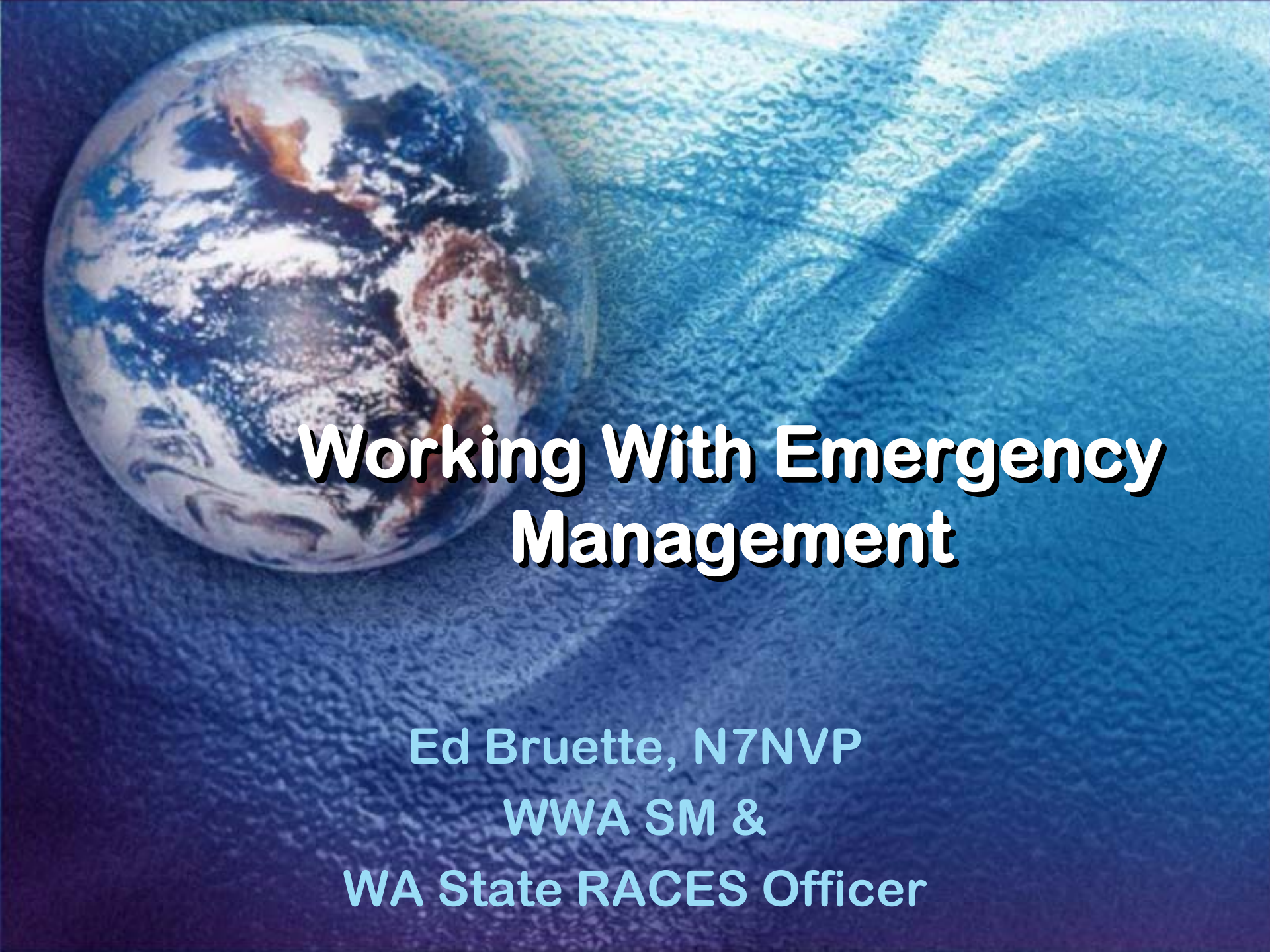




Working With Emergency Management

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WSEMA

- WA State Emergency Management Assoc.
 - Annual event
 - Most jurisdictions represented
- ARES/RACES not invited very often

Topics of Discussion

- Recruiting
- Training
- Exercises



Recruiting

- New members
 - Emergency Management?
- The 2nd shift
 - Emergent volunteers?
 - Mutual or out of area aid?



Training

- The Plan
- ARRL EmComm
- FEMA 100, 200 & 700
- Communications Academy



Training (cont.)

- Exercises
 - Local
 - Internal
 - Multi-agency
 - Wide area
 - Internal
 - Multi-agency
 - Recruiting?



Results from WSEMA '06

- Stopped at the elevator
 - 08
 - EMD staff training
- Seat on the exercise design team
- CSEPP
- Region Response 07
 - ESF 2
- CommEx RR 07

What Now?

- Refine the comm plan
 - Equipment
 - Procedures
 - Train & exercise
- Gain experience with more agencies
- Modernize as permitted



QUESTIONS?

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Thank you

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